

**RULES
OF
TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
DIVISION OF PLANT INDUSTRIES**

**CHAPTER 0080-6-21
ADMINISTRATIVE FEES**

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- (1) The Department adopts the following fee schedule for the corresponding services. (Educational institutions shall be exempt from payment of these fees.)
 - (a) Certification of nursery stock or other plant material:
 1. Florist certification
Twenty five dollars - (\$25.00)
 2. Greenhouse grown plants certification
Two Hundred Dollars - (\$200.00)
 - (i) Greenhouse grown plants being grown in areas less than 600 square feet.
One hundred dollars - (\$100.00)
 3. Irish potato certification
One hundred dollars - (\$100.00)
 4. Native wild plant certification
Two Hundred Dollars - (\$200.00)
 5. Native wild plant dealer
Two Hundred Dollars - (\$200.00)
 6. Nursery stock certification
Two Hundred Dollars - (\$200.00)
 - (i) Nursery stock grown in areas less than 600 square feet.
One hundred dollars - (\$100.00)
 - (ii) The following persons are exempt from the fees imposed under Tenn. Code Ann. § 43-1-703 (f)(8), the greenhouse plant certification fee, or any licensure or plant certification fee established by this rule:
 - (I) Any person engaged in the production of tobacco seedlings, and any farmer who produces and sells plants or seedlings in connection with such person's farming operations, but who is not primarily engaged in the business of producing and selling plants or seedlings. For purposes of this chapter, "not primarily engaged" means receipts from selling plants or seedlings do not exceed 15% of gross farm receipts for the average of the two previous years or one year if the operation has only been in existence for one year, as shown in federal tax return documents.

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7. Strawberry plant certification
One hundred dollars - (\$100.00)
8. Sweet potato certification (plants, slip)
One hundred dollars - (\$100.00)
9. Sweet potato certification (seed)
One hundred dollars - (\$100.00)
10. Turfgrass certification
Two Hundred Dollars - (\$200.00)
11. Vegetable plant certification
Two Hundred Dollars - (\$200.00)
- (b) Plant dealer certificates (each):
Two Hundred Dollars - (\$200.00)
 1. Plant dealers that sell only annual plants and cover an area equal to or less than 100 square feet of space with plant materials.
Thirty Dollars - (\$30.00)
- (c) Phytosanitary certificates (each):
Equivalent to federal U.S. Department of Agriculture, Animal Health Inspection Service (USDA APHIS) fees in 7 CFR Part 354.3.
- (d) Pesticide dealer license (each):
Fifty dollars - (\$50.00)
- (e) Pesticide dealer license late fee (each):
Twenty five dollars - (\$25.00) This is in addition to the regular fee in (1) (d).
- (f) Pesticide product registration (each):
One hundred dollars - (\$100.00)
- (g) Pesticide product registration late fee (each):
Fifty dollars - (\$50.00) This is in addition to the regular fee in (1) (f).
- (h) Special local need (24-C) fee (each):
Two hundred fifty dollars - (\$250.00)
- (i) Nematode sample analysis (each): Ten dollars - (\$10.00)
- (j) Commercial pesticide applicator certification (each exam):
Fifteen dollars - (\$15.00)
- (k) Commercial pesticide applicator recertification or replacement card (each card):
Five dollars - (\$5.00)
- (l) Private pesticide applicator certification (each):
Ten dollars - (\$10.00)
- (m) Pest control charter (each):
Two hundred dollars - (\$200.00)

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- (n) Pest control licenses (per category):
Twenty dollars - (\$20.00)
- (o) Solicitor/technician cards:
Twenty dollars - (\$20.00)
- (p) Consultant or custom applicator license exams (each):
One hundred fifty dollars - (\$150.00)
- (q) Aerial applicator license (each):
Two hundred dollars - (\$200.00)
- (r) Aerial decals (each):
One hundred fifty dollars - (\$150.00)

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